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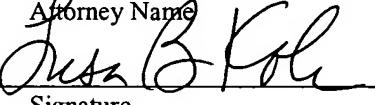
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SIR:

In response to the Notice of Drawing Inconsistency With Specification dated July 28, 2004 ("the Notice"), please consider the following remarks.

The Notice alleges that Figures 1 and 2 are contained in the Drawings but not listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification.

In response, Applicant invites the officer's attention, first, to the specification at page 8, paragraph 4, which states "[t]he temperature profiles measured for the various spinning masses A-E are illustrated in Fig. 1...".

Second, Applicant invites the officer's attention to the specification at page 9, third paragraph, which states "[t]he results are shown in Fig. 2, whereby the jacket temperature is inserted as °C on the abscissa whereas the difference in temperature ΔT between the sample and the jacket is inserted as °C on the ordinate."

Therefore, both figures are identified and explained in the specification, so that there is no inconsistency.

Although there is no "Brief Description of the Drawings" in this application, it is respectfully noted that the organization of the specification to provide such a section is not a requirement for patentability.

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